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TAGS: ESTC, COCOM, NL, PL

SUBJECT: NETHERLANDS MEMORY SYSTEMS TO POLAND - IL 1588

REF: A. COCOM DOC (73) 850

B. STATE 122079

1. NETHERLANDS DEL, ON INSTRUCTION, HAS BILATERALLY ASKED FOR WITHDRAWAL OF PROVISIO IN REF B THAT HE PROVIDE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF MKJ-25 COMPUTER AS CONDITION OF OUR APPROVAL.

2. DUTCH AUTHORITIES BASE THEIR COMPLAINT ON TWO ARGUMENTS:

A. PROVISIO IS NOT DIRECTLY RELATED TO PRODUCT TO BE EXPORTED BECAUSE APPROVAL WAS GIVEN WITHOUT REGARD TO SUBSTANCE OF INFO REQUESTED;

B. PROVISIO IS CONTRARY TO PRINCIPLE THAT DEFINITION OF WHAT IS TO BE EMBARGOED HAS TO BE CLEAR, UNAMBIGUOUS, AND LIMITED TO CRITERIA GIVEN UNDER ONE ITEM ONLY. IT WOULD BE "UNFAIR AND UNREASONABLE" TO REQUIRE DATA ON HIGHER ASSEMBLIES (COVERED BY DIFFERENT LIST ITEM) IN WHICH GOODS TO BE EXPORTED ARE INTENDED TO BE USED. US PROVISIO IS COMPARED TO REQUIRING SUPPLIER OF NUTS AND BOLTS TO GIVE DETAILED PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS OF AUTOMOBILE IN WHICH THEY WILL BE INCORPORATED.

3. IF US DOES NOT AGREE TO WITHDRAW PROVISIO, DUTCH WILL
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TABLE DOCUMENT (OF WHICH USDEL WAS SHOWN DRAFT) REQUESTING

THAT THE MATTER BE DISCUSSED IN COCOM. THEY WOULD PREFER NOT TO HAVE TO TAKE THIS STEP SINCE IT COULD LEAD TO LENGTHY DISCUSSION. NETHERLANDS DEL OFFERED IT AS HIS UNOFFICIAL OPINION THAT IF PROVISIO WERE WITHDRAWN AND US REPHRASED IT AS SIMPLE REQUEST, NOT MAKING APPROVAL CONTINGENT UPON IT, DUTCH AUTHORITIES WOULD DO THEIR BEST TO OBTAIN AT LEAST PART OF THE INFO DESIRED.

4. REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS.
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